

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY PARIS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 8394

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E. O. 11652: N/ A

TAGS: OGEN ( IRWIN, JOHN N. II)

SUBJECT: STATEMENT AT CREDENTIALS PRESENTATION

EUR/ WE FOR AMBASSADOR IRWIN

REF: PARIS 5470

1. ACTING CHIEF OF PROTOCOL HAS ASKED THAT EMBASSY PROVIDE HIM COPY OF YOUR PROPOSED REMARKS TO PRESIDENT POMPIDOU AT TIME OF CREDENTIALS PRESENTATION. HE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THESE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE BUT NO LATER THAN MONDAY, MARCH 19. HE MIGHT INQUIRE ABOUT THEM AT TIME OF YOUR ARRIVAL SUNDAY MORNING IF WE HAVE NOT YET DELIVERED HIM A COPY.

2. WE BELIEVE PROPOSED REMARKS TRANSMITTED REFTEL TO BE APPROPRIATE AND HAVE ONLY ONE FURTHER SUGGESTION TO MAKE. IN PARAGRAPH 7, ADD NEW SENTENCE AFTER SECOND SENTENCE: " HE IS PARTICULARLY GRATEFUL FOR THE COOPERATION PROVIDED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF FRANCE IN OUR JOINT FIGHT AGAINST NARCOTICS TRAFFICKING IN THE RECENT PAST.

3. CONFIRMING TODAY'S TELECONS, CREDENTIALS CEREMONY NOW BEING ARRANGED FOR 4:00 P. M. FRIDAY, MARCH 23, WITH FIRST CALL ON ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER BETTENCOURT TUESDAY, MARCH 20.  
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